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IN SITU THERMAL

PROCESSING OF A

HYDROCARBON

CONTAINING FORMATION TO PRODUCE A MIXTURE

CONTAINING OLEFINS,

OXYGENATED

HYDROCARBONS, AND/OR

AROMATIC

HYDROCARBONS

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Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 7 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.

An Appendix including amended drawing figures is attached following page 11 of this paper.